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County of Montgomery, Illinois :

Petition for Approval to Amend the  
9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number  
System :

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01-0273

STAFF'S ANSWER TO THE PETITION

Now comes the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission (Staff) and in support of its answer to Montgomery County's Petition for Approval to Amend the 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System, states the following:

1. Montgomery County received an order to operate its Enhanced 9-1-1 System from the Commission on June 5, 1996, in Docket 96-0167.
2. On March 16, 2001, Montgomery County filed a Petition for Approval to Amend the 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System in which it requests to opt the Mulberry Grove telephone exchange customers out of its system to Bond County. There are approximately 5 customers affected in this exchange. In addition, Montgomery County requests to opt the Coffeen telephone exchange customers from Bond County into its system. There are approximately sixteen customers affected in this exchange.
3. On July 20, 2000, Bond County ETSB filed a Petition for Approval of a 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System (Docket 00-0519) in which it opted in the Mulberry Grove exchange telephone exchange customers from Montgomery County. In addition, Bond County opted the Coffeen telephone exchange customers out of its system to Montgomery County. The Illinois Commerce Commission issued a Final Order granting the petition on October 18, 2000. Bond County cannot cut its 9-1-1 system live until all modifications related to its system have final orders.
4. Staff has thoroughly reviewed the County's Petition for Approval to Amend the 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone Number System and supports the petitioner's request for modification. In addition, Staff supports waiving a hearing in this docket.

Respectfully Submitted,

  
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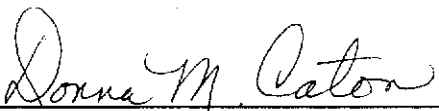
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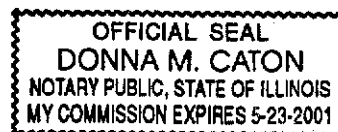
## VERIFICATION

I, Stacy Buecker, first being duly sworn upon oath, depose and say that I am the 9-1-1 Program Assistant for the Staff of the Illinois Commerce Commission, that I have read the attached and foregoing Answer to Petition by me subscribed and know the contents thereof; that said contents are true in substance and in fact, except as to those matters stated upon information and belief, and as to those, I believe same to be true.

  
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STACY BUECKER  
9-1-1 Program Assistant

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 19th day of March, 2001.

  
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Notary Public, Illinois



## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Stacy Buecker, 9-1-1 Program Assistant, Telecommunications Division, Illinois Commerce Commission, do hereby certify that on the 19th day of March, 2001, that I have delivered for filing with the Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, the original and two copies of the attached Answer to the Amended Petition for Docket 01-0273, copies of which are hereby served upon parties of record.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Stacy Buecker", is written over a horizontal line.

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